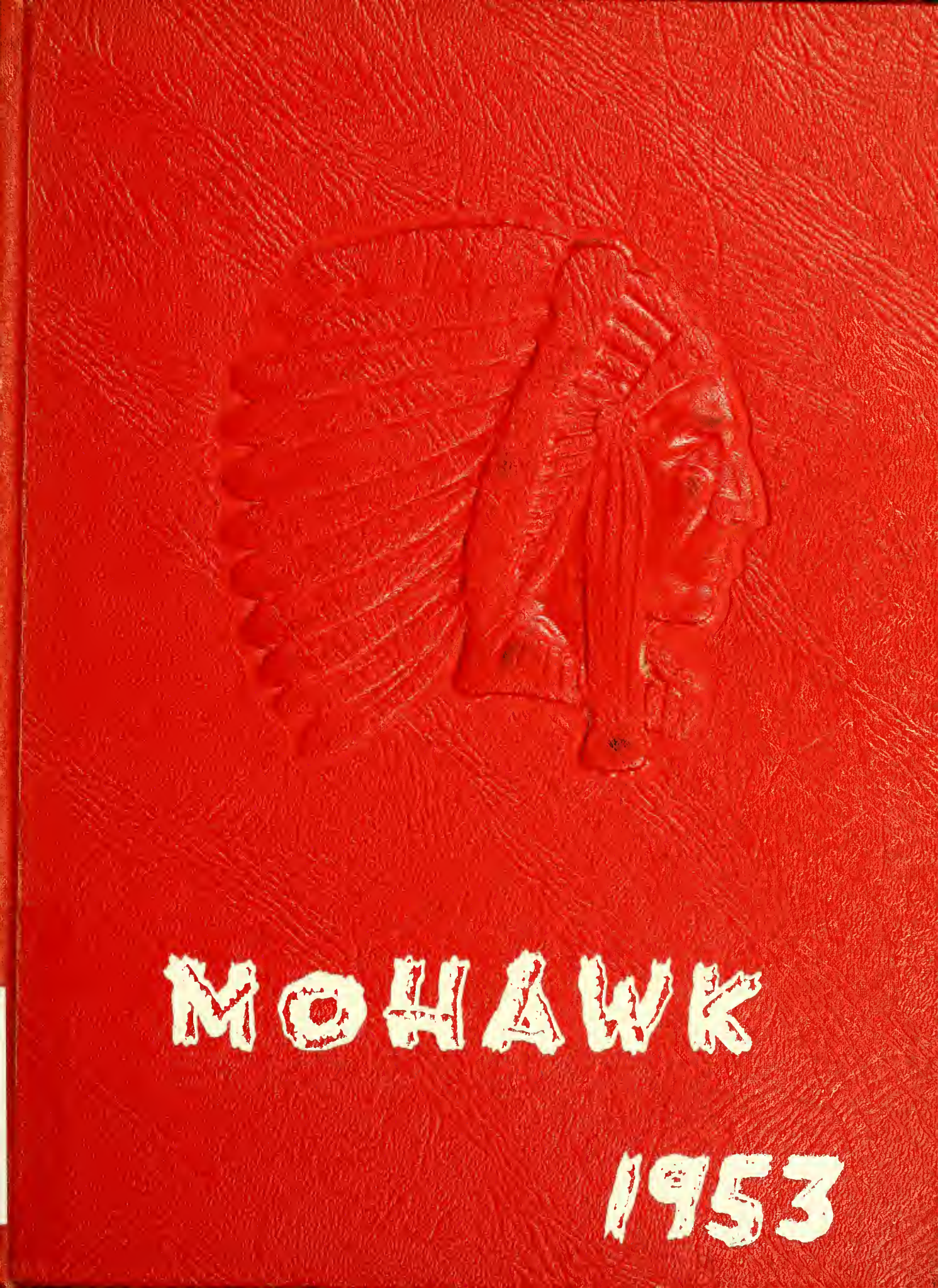
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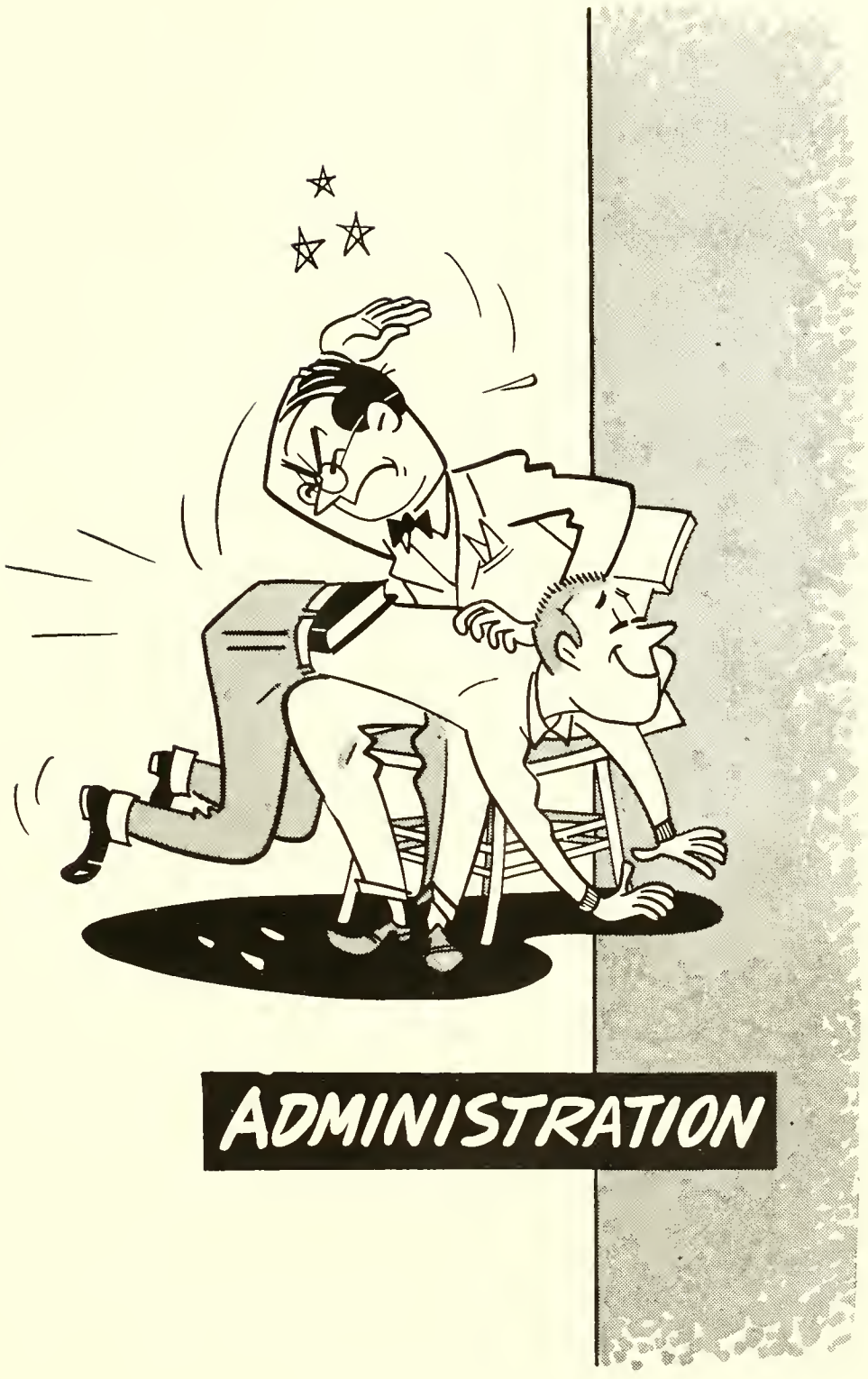
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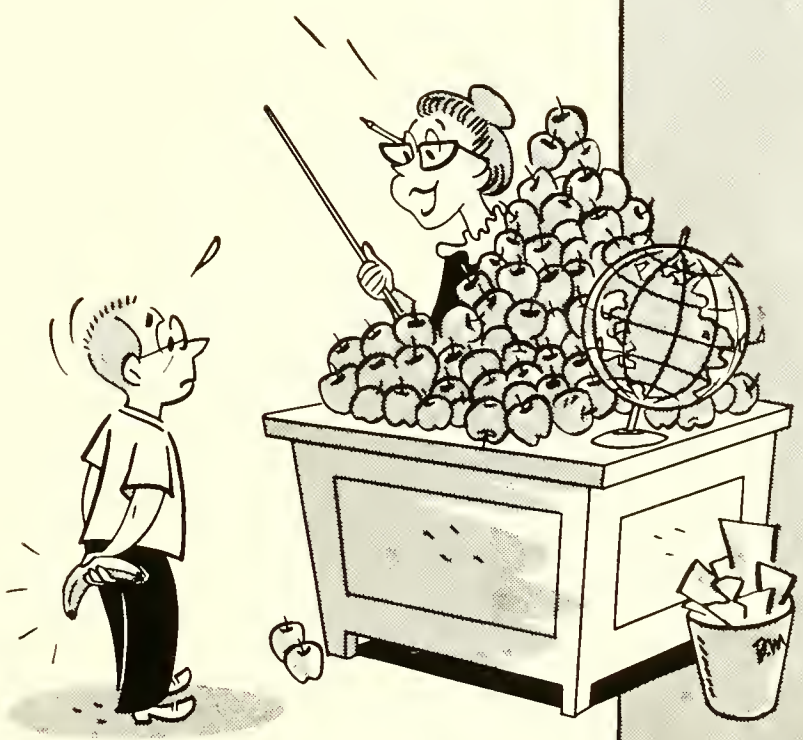

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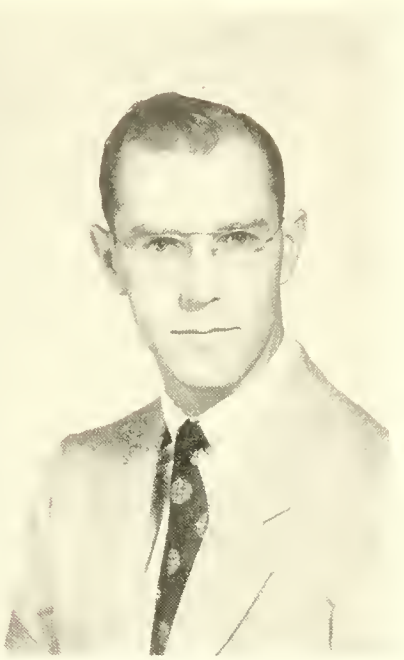

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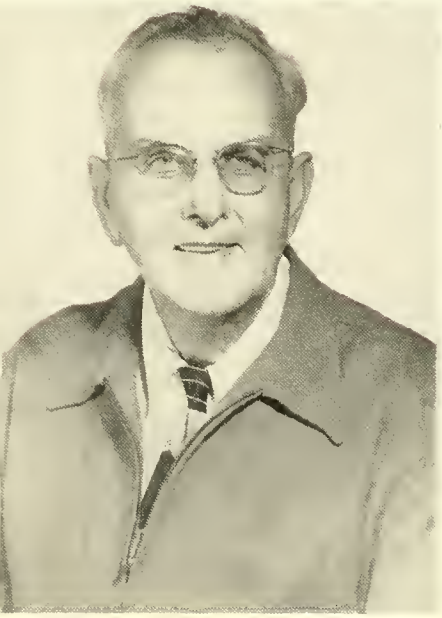

Miss Martha Nicholson
Social Studies-Geography
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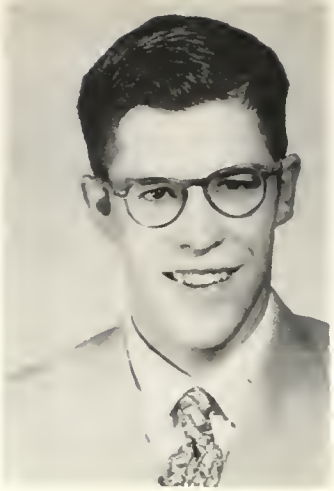
LOLENE WALTERS

Class Play	3-4
Chorus	1-2
Secretary	4
Yearbook Staff	4
Paper Staff	2-3



HAROLD HORNBROOK

Basketball	1-2-3-4
Baseball	1-2-3-4
Track	1-2
Class Play	3-4
Yearbook Staff	4

RONALD SOWLES

Basketball	1-2
Baseball	1
Track	1-2
Volleyball	2
Class Play	3-4
Paper Staff	3
Yearbook Staff	4
Chorus	1-2-3-4

MARTHA FRALEY

Yearbook Staff	3-4
Paper Staff	3
President	3
Vice President	1-2
Class Play	3-4
Chorus	1

BETTY WOLFF

Vice President	3-4
Cheerleader	1-2-3-4
Chorus	1-2-3-4
Carnival Queen	4
Treasurer	1
Year book Staff	4
Paper Staff	1-2-3-4
Class Play	3-4
Band	3-4

LEE SMITH

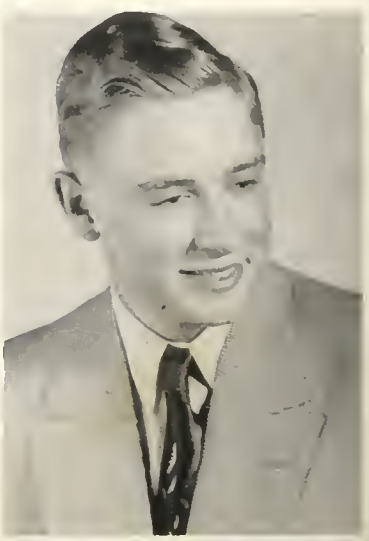
President	2-4
Ass't B.B.Manager	1-2
Ass't B.B. Manager	1
Paper Staff	4
Yearbook Staff	4
Class Play	3-4

MARLENE EYSTER

Secretary	2
Treasure	3
Cheerleader	1-2-3-4
Chorus	1-2-3-4
Carnival Queen	2
Track Queen	2
Yearbook Staff	4
Paper Staff	1-2-3-4
Class Play	2-3-4

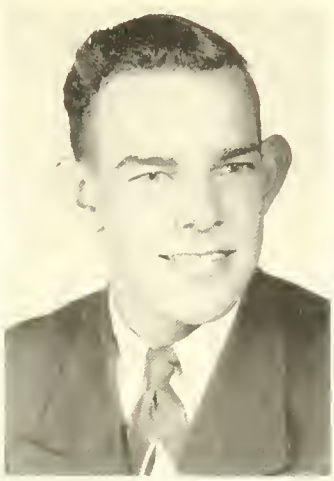
NEIL BROOKS

Yearbook Staff	3-4
Paper Staff	2
Basketball	1-3-4
Chorus	1-3-4
Track	1-3
Carnival King	2
Secretary	1-3
Treasurer	4
Class Play	3-4



JOANN BURRELL

Paper Staff	2-3-4
Yearbook Staff	4
Band	3-4
Chorus	1
Class Play	3-4



ROGER STULTZ

Basketball	1-2-3-4
Baseball	1-2-3-4
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Volleyball	2-3-4
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Paper Staff	2-4
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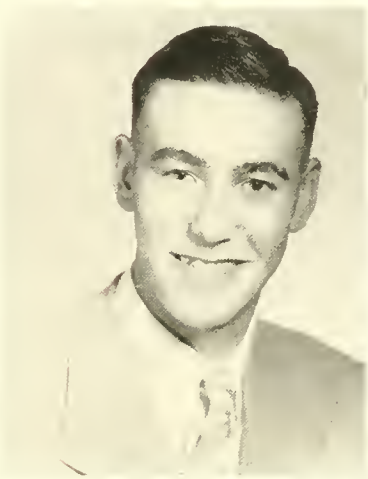
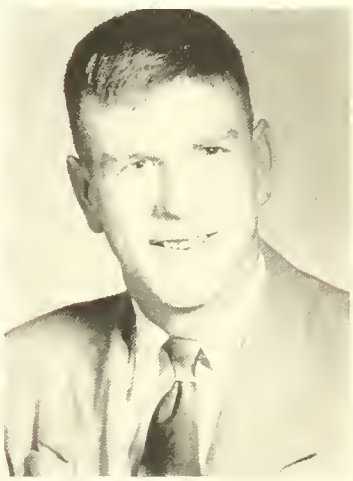


GLEN MORRISON

Basketball	1-2-3-4
Baseball	1-2-3-4
Volleyball	1-2-4
Track	1-2
Yearbook Staff	4
Paper Staff	1-2
Class Play	3-4
Chorus	1-2-3-4

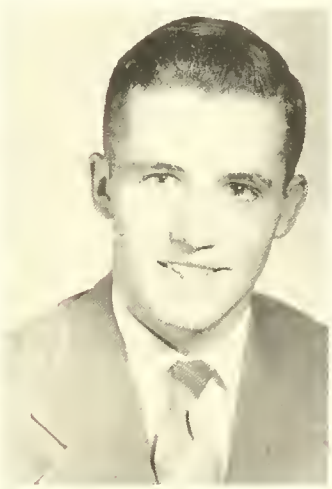
DON WISNER

Basketball	1-2-3-4
Baseball	1-2-3-4
Volleyball	1-2-3-4
Track	1-2-3-4
Yearbook Staff	4
Class Play	3
Paper Staff	4
Chorus	1



SHIRLEY LOCKHART

Chorus	1-2-3-4
Paper Staff	3-4
Yearbook Staff	4
Class Play	3-4
Treasurer	2



WENDELL GILBERT

Basketball	1-2-3-4
Baseball	1-2-3-4
Volleyball	1-2-3-4
Track	1-2
Chorus	1-2-3-4
Class Play	3-4
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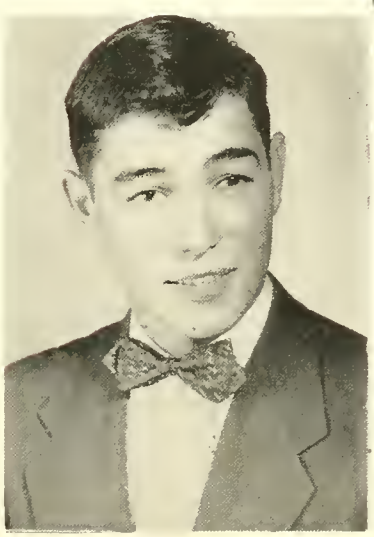
President	1
Band	3-4



DAVID COLE

Basketball	1-2-3-4
Baseball	1-2-4
Chorus	1-2-3-4
Track	1-2-3-4
Volleyball	1-2-3-4
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Class Play	3-4

PAUL SOULE

Class Play	3-4
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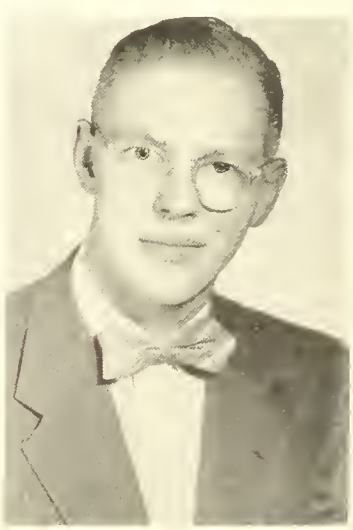
Volleyball	2
Track	3



Class Will

I, Neil Brooks, will my blond hair to Shirley Hantz.

I, Martha Fraley, will my ability to dislike boys to Dora Champion.

I, Shirley Lockhart, will my ability to go steady to Betty Ford.

I, Lolene Walters, will my engagement ring to June Burrell.

I, Lee Smith, will my ability to not lose my temper to Mr. Roush.

I, Betty Wolff, will my long hair to Sally McClish.

I, Marlene Eyster, will my shortness to Glenda Petty.

I, Don Wisner, will my ability to play basketball to Stanley Gilbert.

I, Joann Burrell, will my ability to argue with Mrs. Mann to June Hulbert.

I, Glenn Morrison, will my good car to Lloyd Gearhart.

I, Harold Hornbrook, will my height to Stanley Leas.

I, Paul Soule, will my driving ability to Mr. Boling.

I, Ronald Sowles, will my ability to sleep in class to Jack Craft.

I, Roger Stultz, will my ability to play on the first team to Wendell Hantz.

I, Wendell Gilbert, will my ability to stay out of trouble to my kid brother, Stanley Gilbert, and Howard Buell.

I, David Cole, will my ability to sing during study hall to Sam Griffiths.

I, Martha Fraley, will my ability to get along with the teachers to my brother, Louie Fraley.

I, Neil Brooks, will my car to Sam Griffiths.

I, Shirley Lockhart, will my tallness to Charlene Musser.

I, Lolene Walters, will my slim figure to Miss Nicholson.

I, Lee Smith, will my ability to stay out of trouble to Jack Craft.

I, Betty Wolff, will my ability to have an engagement ring to Darlene Buell.

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I, Don Wisner, will my ability to wander around in school to Leonard Burns.

I, Joann Burrell, will my ability to drink soft drinks only to Jack Craft.

I, Glenn Morrison, will my ability to be a good driver to Larry Walberry.

I, Harold Hornbrook, will my ability to leave the girls alone to Louie Fraley.

I, Paul Soule, will my ability to go with one girl more than six months to Gene Craft.

I, Ronald Sowles, will my ability to get along with girls to Ronnie Stultz.

I, Wendell Gilbert, will my excess pounds to Walter McKinley.

I, David Cole, will my ability to stay out of school three days out of the week to Dick Fisher.

I, Marlene Eyster, will my ability to make plans for the future to Dorothy Gilbert.

We seniors will our ability to skip class to all under classmen.

We seniors will our government to anyone that can understand it.

We seniors will our right to make the yearbook to the junior class.

We seniors will all the gray hairs we have obtained to Mr. Roush.

We seniors will to Miss Nicholson all the engagement rings we could find among our class members.

We seniors will to Mrs. Hall our seats in the English room to do with as she sees fit.

We seniors will Mr. Boling the wish of having good basketball players next year as he did this year from the senior class.

We seniors will our ability to make money to the junior class.

We senior girls will our cooking ability to Mrs. Mann.

We senior boys will our ability to flirt with all girls to Mr. Townsend.

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Prophecy

Here we are in the year 1975, and we have just returned from a trip visiting all the members of the Metz High School Senior Class of 1953. While we were sitting in our air conditioned home one hot July afternoon, reading the sports section of the paper, we saw that David Cole was to fight for the heavy-weight championship of the world in Madison Square Garden that night. Immediately we got into our private jet plane and soon we were in New York. When we landed in New York we hired a taxi to take us to our destination. However, as soon as we got into the taxi we noticed something familiar about the style of driving and soon realized that the driver could be none other than Glen Morrison. At one of the intersections a Police Patrol Car fell in behind us and we had to slow down. As we were driving along, an atomic powered Cadiliac suddenly pulled out from the curb and smashed into one of our front fenders. We soon found that the driver was LoLene Walters and that she had just come downtown to one of her restaurants, as she now has 20 of them in New York. We were also very much surprised to find that the investigating officer, the one that had been following us, was Harold Hornbrook. After Harold had told us of some of his experiences on the force we went to LoLene's house for dinner. She wouldn't let us eat at one of her restaurants because she said the food was terrible. After dinner we continued on our way to Madison Square Garden. The fight was terrific with David on the receiving end until the 14th round when David landed a lucky punch and knocked out the champ to become the new heavy-weight champion. After the fight we found David, and while we were talking he said that he had heard that Roger Stultz was living near Fairbanks, Alaska. When we arrived in Fairbanks we soon found that Roger had acquired a large gold mine about 5 miles from town. When we found Roger he was certainly surprised to see us. After he had told us some of the jokes that he had heard, he said that he understood that Don Wisner was in Washington. Soon we were on our way to Washington. When we arrived in Washington we soon found Don as the president's budget keeper. The Democrats finally got another man in office. Don invited us to his home, which was very modest - only 24 rooms. Of course, Don's wife was away to a bridge party and didn't get home until 7:30, so we ate dinner in a restaurant, the most expensive in Washington. Don said that while he was reading a movie magazine, on the people's time, he found that Martha Fraley was in Hollywood. The next morning, after a night in Don's home, we left for Hollywood. When we arrived we soon found that Martha was married to one of the most famous actors in Hollywood and that they had two sons. She also told us that Lee Smith was in Paris, so soon we were on our way to Paris. When we arrived we were very much surprised to be told that Lee was one of the most famous dress designers in the world. We found Lee, very much enjoying his work. Lee said that Joann Bur-

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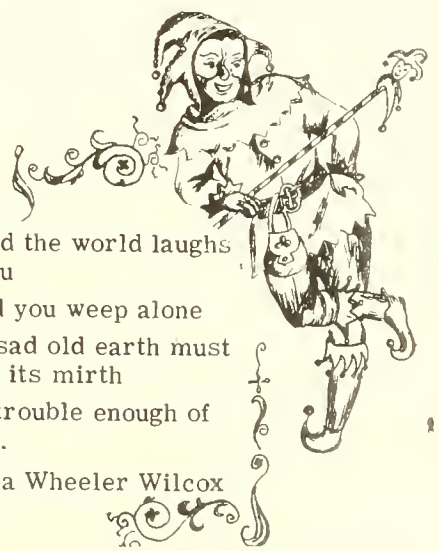
rell was also in Paris, where she was happily married to Johnny, and that she was teaching in one of the Paris schools. We didn't have much trouble finding the school, but when we walked into Joann's room our hopes were all lost, for we thought Joann had lost some of her marbles. She was giving the children $1000 bills. However, when we asked her why, she said that to avoid income tax, she gave the children $1000 bills instead of gold stars for good grades. Joann also informed us that Ronald Sowles was in Miami, Florida. Soon we were on our way back to the states, and before long we were in Miami. When we landed we soon saw billboards all over the place advertising the greatest trapeze performer in the world, Ronald Sowles. They said also that he was giving a performance that night. We got tickets for the performance and it really was a thrilling affair. After it was over we found Ronald and while we were discussing the old class he said that Neil Brooks was in Boston. The next morning we left for Boston, soon to be there. We found Neil, his wife, and seven children in their forty-five room suburban mansion. Talking to Neil we found that he had become an architect and that he was now working on a church which was to be the largest church in the world when it was finished. Neil informed us that Paul Soule was in Colorado, so soon we were on our way to Paul's ranch near Denver. When we landed at the ranch Paul was washing one of his Chryslers. We found that Paul was married to a former Metz girl. Paul said that he had heard that Wendell and Shirley were now living in Wisconsin. Before long we found ourselves landing at a 250 acre dairy farm where we found Shirley and Wendell, and soon we realized that Betty Wolff was still in Indiana. We stayed there until morning when we left for good old Metz to a 175 acre completely Case equipped farm. While we were talking with Betty about our senior year at Metz she said that Marlene Eyster was in Tennessee. In about five minutes we arrived in Tennessee where we found Marlene, Walter and their 10 children admiring their 10 oil wells.



Laugh and the world laughs
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Weep and you weep alone
For the sad old earth must
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But has trouble enough of
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Seated-June Hulbert, Sally McClish, Wendell Gilbert, Martha Fraley, Neil Brooks, Betty Wolff, Marlene Eyster, LoLene Walters. (not in Picture - Joann Burrell)

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Editor-in-Chief..... Martha Fraley
Assistant Editor-in-Chief..... Richard Fisher
Managing Editor..... Neil Brooks
Assistant Managing Editor..... Sally McClish
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Assistant Business Editor..... June Hulbert
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Assistant Sports Editor..... Glen Morrison
Feature Editor..... Shirley Lockhart
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Organizations..... Joann Burrell
Class Editor..... Marlene Eyster
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Class History

In the fall of 1941, ten pupils entered the Metz High first grade. Naturally they were frightened and undecided whether to stay without their Mothers. With these ten and the addition of six others there were sixteen to graduate in the class of "53".

Those who started the long journey of school in the first grade were: Neil Brooks, Marlene Eyster, Martha Fraley, Wendell Gilbert, Harold Hornbrook, Don Wisner, Paul Soule, Joann Burrell, Shirley Lockhart, and LoLene Walters. Betty Wolff entered during the 3rd year from Montpelier, Ohio. Roger Stultz entered during the 4th year from Antwerp, Ohio, also Glen Morrison in the same year from Fremont, Indiana. During the sixth grade we had one addition from Garry, Indiana, who was David Cole. Going to the seventh year Lee Smith came to join us from Scott Center. Our last addition was Ronnie Sowles who entered during the eighth grade from St. John's school south of Auburn, Indiana.

Our grade teachers were: Miss Mainland, Mrs. Carol (Eyster) Coffman, Mrs. Fern Hand, Mrs. Frances Andres, Mr. Clarence Dirrim, and Mr. Russell Brayton.

Then came the great step of our school career! We entered High School. Our sponsor was Miss Hutson. Our next great worry was how the sophomores were going to initiate us. In spite of little as scrubbing the sidewalk with tooth brushes, washing windows, eating frog eyes, walking on noodles and other terrible things.

Our Junior year was busy so that it buzzed right by. The most important event last year was the Junior play "Rest Assured" which was a big hit. Our Directors were Mr. McKenzie and Mr. Brayton.

With a flash the year was here which all of us had sweat for - our "Senior Year". If God permits there will be sixteen seniors graduating this coming May. We are: Neil Brooks, Joann Burrell, David Cole, Marlene Eyster, Martha Fraley, Wendell Gilbert, Harold Hornbrook, Shirley Lockhart, Glen Morrison, Lee Smith, Ronnie Sowles, Roger Stultz, Paul Sowles, Roger Stultz, Paul Soule, LoLene Walters, Betty Wolff, and Don Wisner.

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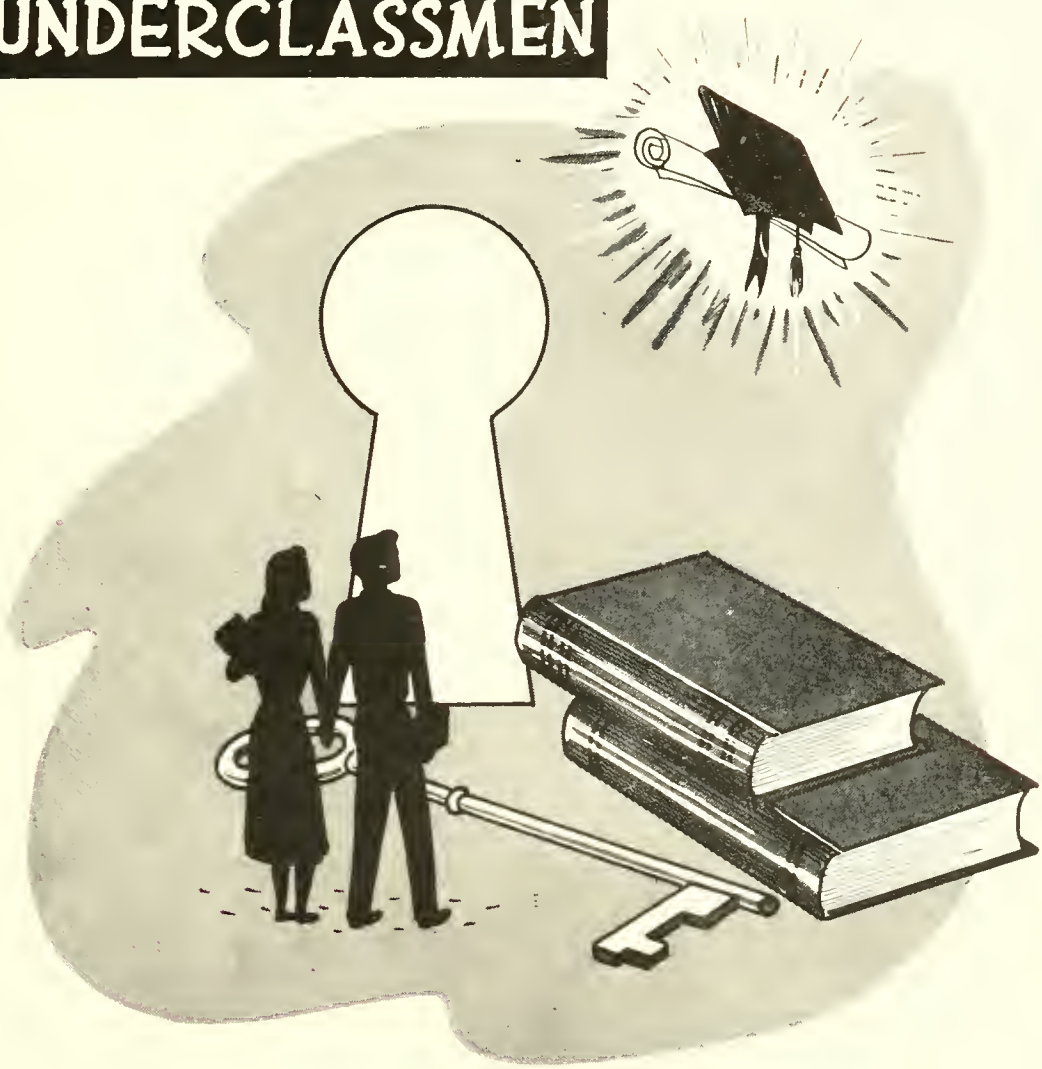

Juniors

Top row-Sam Griffths, Ronnie Stultz, Harold Gill, Jack Craft, Dick Fisher
Avon Caldwell, Eugene Sowles.
Middle row-Sally McClish, Dorothy Gilbert, Glenda Petty, June Burrell,
Janice Burrell, Mrs. Hall, (sponsor).
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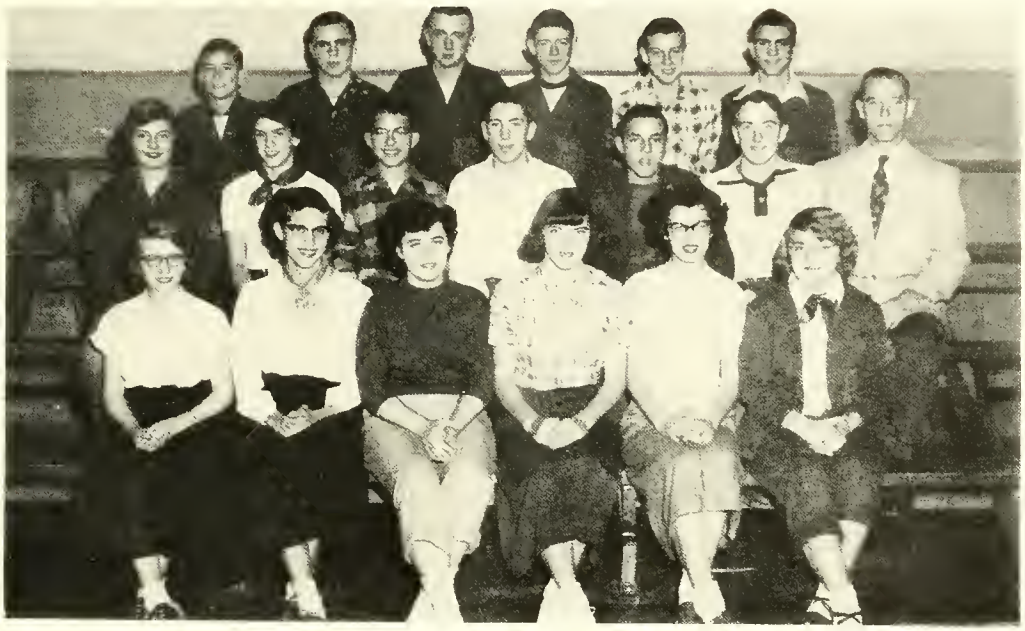

Top row-Lloyd Gearhart, Billy Willibey, Leon Snyder, Wendell Hantz, Paul Green, Howard Buell,
Middle row-Sur Everetts, Loretta Hulbert,Stanley Gilbert, Bartell Hand, Gene Craft, Leonard Burns, Mr. Boling. (sponsor).
Bottom row-Marilyn Stetler, Carolyn Smith, Cora Sue Miller, Suzann Lockhart, Sara Hornbrook, Thelma Zinn.

Freshmen

Top row-Louie Fraley, Mahlon Cleckner, Walter McKinley, Phillip Smith, Richard Petty, Marvin Enfield, Clayton Mendel.
Middle row-Ned Somerlott, Dorothy Rowe, Virginia Fraley, Merry Cole, Anna Rowe, John Campbell, Mrs. Mann. (sponsor)
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EIGHTH GRADE

Top row-Bruce Burns, Billy Pierce, Gene Hoyer, Donald Hantz.
Middle row-Lloyd Sowles, Raymond Oliver, Mary Ann Ford, Jean Wicoff, Janet Hantz, Rolald Hantz, Jackie Heller, Miss Nicholson.
Bottom row-Carolyn Gearhart, Mary Ann Caldwell, Nytells Dunham, Patty Miller, Maxine Green, Martha Shaw, Joan Smith.

SEVENTH GRADE

Top row-Gordon Cleckner, Tommy Williams, Marry Musser.
Middle row-Jean Willibey, Betty Caldwell, Patty Pierce, Dolores Firestone, Loraine Porter, Donna Somerlott, Mr. Townsend.
Bottom row-Joan Lechleidner, Gwyn Musser, Francile Walters, Lee Ann Johnson, Phyllis Mendel, Edith Kirchen, Helen Green.

FIFTH
&
SIXTH
GRADE

Top row (left to right)-Montie Dewire, Willard McKinley, John Gibbeny, Roger Shaw, Jerry Groshon.
2nd rod-John Burrell, Barbara Griffiths, Beverly Mills, Maryann Nichols, Darlene Everetts, Joann Groshon, Rosalee Ford, Deloy Farley.
3rd row-Eunice Nichols, Lynn Johnson, Carolyn Hornbrook, Tommy Waters, Ronnie Lee Fraley, Susanne Fisher, Terry Hand, Herman Hantz, Shirley Craven, Mrs. McCool.
Bottom row-Neal Stetler, Anna Marie Kirchen, Sandra Sowles, Sherrie Oberlin, Janet Rowe, Jimmy Zimmerman, Laura Pierce, Larry Wilson, Darlene Zimmerman, Rosalee Caldwell.

FOURTH
&
FIFTH
GRADE

Top row (left to right)-Walter Mills, Terry Ferrier, Jerry Musser, Billy Cole, Junior Fraley.
2nd row-Robert Wells, Billy Griffiths, Dean Everetts, Barbara McKinley, Nancy Snyder, Connie Fisher, Carolyn Wilson, Janet Pierce, Bonnie Simpson, Larry Dunham, Marvin Gill.
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SECOND & THIRD GRADE

Top row (left to right) Linda Stomm, Larry Dewire, Nancy Burrell, Marian Shaw, Betty Enfield, Robert Petty, Jimmy Burrell, Richard Caldwell, Jimmy Groshon Carol Dohner, Roger Morrison.
Middle row-Gloria Johnson, Wesley Lockhart, Jean White, Sharon Gibbeny, Bobby Fifer, Bill Fifer, Douglas Firestone, Ronald Wilson, Blaine Stetler, Donald Burrell, Mrs. Amerman. (teacher).
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FIRST & SECOND GRADE

Top row -Dennis Goudy, Jerry Burrell, Robert Bauman, Duane Firestone, Richard Waters, Noel Stetler, Lynn Nickols.
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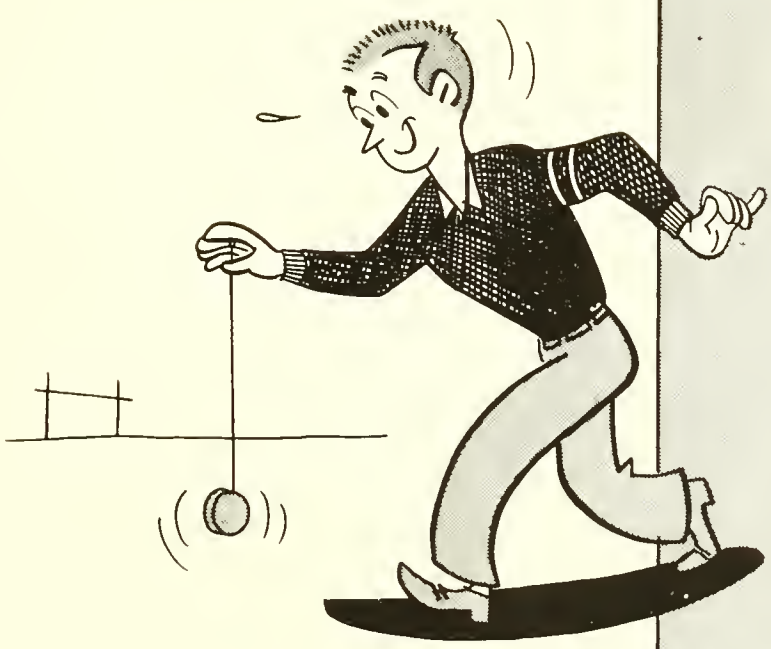

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Standing (left to right)-Howard Buell, Gene Craft, Leonard Burns, Billy Willibey, Richard Petty, Leon Snyder, Paul Green, Mahlon Cleckner, John Campbell, Avon Caldwell, Coach Boling.
Bottom-Stanley Gilbert, Lloyd Gearhart, managers.

BASEBALL

Top row-(left to right)-Louie Fraley, Roger Stultz, Wendell Gilbert, Howard Buell, Richard Fisher, Ronnie Stultz, Sam Griffiths, Gene Craft.
Middle row-Don Wisner, Leon Snyder, Glenn Morrison, Wendell Hantz, Mahlon Cleckner, Leonard Burns, John Campbell, Billy Willibey.
Bottom row-Stanley Gilbert, Manager, Coach Boling, Lloyd Gearhart, Manager.

Left to right: Larry Musser, Donald Hantz, Gene Hoyer, Billy Pierce, Gordon Cleckner, Lloyd Sowles, Ronald Hantz, Jack Heller, Raymond Oliver, Bruce Burns, Mr. Boling (Coach). Cheerleaders: Joan Lechleidner, Helen Green.

HIGH SCHOOL BASEBALL

The baseball team got off to a good start this year by beating Fremont in the opening game. As the season came to a close there was only a four way tie for 3rd and 4th place in the County, between Scott C., Salem Center, Flint, and Metz. Metz played Scott for the third place and Flint played Salem for fourth place. Then as the tourney ended Metz was playing Flint in the final game of the tourney. Flint was the winner of the 1952-53 baseball Championship. Metz was the runner-up.

The scores of the Games were as follows:

Metz	8	Fremont	6
"	2	Scott Center	4
"	2	Orland	3
"	1	Flint	6
"	4	Salem Center	3
"	3	Hamilton	0
"	23	P. Lake	6

Playoff for third place

Metz Scott Center

County Tourney

Metz	2	Fremont	1
Metz	1	Flint	7

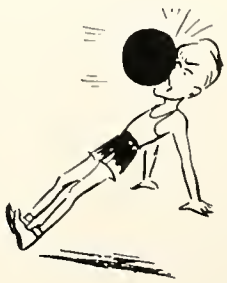
Name	Position	Batting Average
S. Griffiths	O. F.	407
D. Fisher	1 B.	290
R. Stultz	O. F.	250
M. Cleckner	C.	242
L. Burns	S.S.	242
H. Buell	O. F.	205
I. Stultz	3 B.	161
L. Snyder	P.	142
W. Gilbert	2 B.	135
D. Wisner	P.	133
G. Morrison	O. F.	105
J. Campbell	O. F.	000
W. Hantz	O. F.	000
B. Willibey	O. F.	000

FIRST TEAM BASKETBALL

As we started our journey through the basketball season this year we came up against P. Lake as our first challenger. In our first game we were beaten 57 to 54. As our journey proceeded we played Hamilton and were beaten 56 to 44 While still recovering from the whipping Hamilton had given us, Scott Center stepped in and opened the wound deeper by beating us 72 to 38. With our wound well on the way to recovery we went up against the unbeaten Salem Cardinals only to have the wound reopened by taking a defeat of 55 to 32. We crossed the State line to try our luck. In Ohio we came up against the Edon Bombers and here we had the toughest game of the year. It was a fight to the finish with the Bombers beating us 53 to 45. We came home to face the Orland Tigers. We fought and fought but we just couldn't get out of the reach of the Tiger's paws and were crushed by the score of 69 to 50. Mr. Boling poured pearls of wisdom into the boys' ears when we came up against the Mongo Dragons. The pearl of wisdom paid off as we beat Mongo 77 to 46. After winning our first victory our wound was completely healed and no team could even reopen it after we had won such a great victory. Much of our dislike the Fremont Eagles gave ua a severe lashing of 66 to 50. After so many beatings, we were able to accept defeat. We then entered the County Tourney to meet head on with the Scott Center Bulldogs. The Bulldogs nipped us and sent us howling back home. The rest of our games we played this year were not to successful but we did our best. All our game scores were in the forties and fifties, but the other teams just seemed to overpower us. Anyway, Sportsmanship plays the most important part in a ballgame.

SECOND TEAM BASKETBALL

The second team started off with a bang by beating P. Lake 59 to 22. Our next game was with Hamilton. We beat them 43 to 42. Next we came up against the Scott Center Bulldogs and here we beat them 58 to 17. By this time we were beginning to feel proud of ourselves and as the games went on we won our games without any trouble. We played Salem and didn't have any trouble beating them by a score of 41 to 34. Then we came up against the Edon Bombers and here we had quite a time beating, but we finally came out on top by a score of 36 to 35. It was a rough and tough game from beginning to end. Next came the game with Mongo and here we didn't have to work to win. We beat them 61 to 19. Then we came up against the unbeaten Fremont Eagles It was here the Eagles meet defeat. We entered the County Tourney and came out on top as the County Champions. We are looking forward to taking another championship within the next comming years.



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Standing-Rosalee Burrell, Stanley Gilbert, Howard Buell, Billy Willibey, Harriette Buell, Merry Cole, Ellen Wicoff, Marilyn Hicks, Don Wisner, Nancy Fisher, Paul Souls, Sam Griffiths, Dorothy Gilbert, Lee Smith, Roger Stultz.
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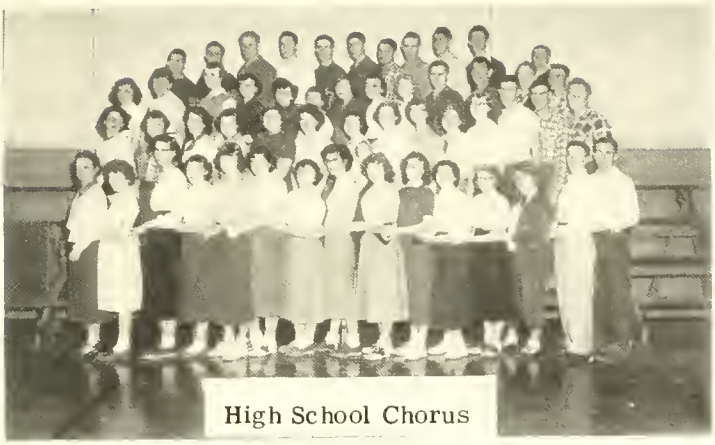

High School Chorus

Top row (left to right)-Stanley Gilbert, Howard Buell, Neil Brooks, Bartell Hand, Sam Griffiths, Richard Petty, Louie Fraley, Mahlon Cleckner, John Campbell, Harold Gill, Eugene Sowles.
2nd row-Sally Snyder, Marilyn Hicks, Glenda Petty, Shirley Huntz, Cora Sue Miller, Darlene Buell, Sue Everetts, June Hulbert, Dora Champion, Billy Willibey, David Cole Leonard Burns, Ned Somerlott.
3rd row-June Burrell, Virginia Fraley, Loretta Hulbert, Dorothy Rowe, Merry Cole, Rosalee Burrell, Betty Ford, Dorothy Gilbert, Shirley Lockhart, Nancy Fisher, Ellen Wicoff, Richard Fisher, Glen Morrison, Walter McKinley.
Bottom row-Mrs. Hall director, Kathryn Nichols, Carolyn Smith, Anna Rowe, Suzann Lockhart, Sally McClish, Harriette Buell, Sara Hornbrook, Carlene Musser, Betty Wolff, Marlene Eyster, Marilyn Stettler, Thelma Zinn, Ronnie Sowles, Wendell Gilbert.

Junior High Chorus

Top row (left to right)-Raymond Oliver, Janet Hantz, Phyllis Mendel, Loraine Porter, Delores Firestone, Lloyd Sowles, Jack Heller, Ronald Hantz, Tommy Williams, Gene Hoyer, Gordon Cleckner, Billy Pierce.
Middle row - Bruce Burns, Patracia Pierce, Betty Caldwell, Maryann Ford, Martha Shaw, Mary Caldwell, Maxine Green, Nytella Dunham, Joan Smith, Jean Wicoff, Donna Somerlott, Donald Hantz.
Bottom row - Gwyn Musser, Francile Walters, Lee Johnson, Joan Lechleidner, Helen Green, Patty Miller, Edith Kirchen, Carolyn Gearhart, Jean Willibey, Larry Musser, Mrs. Hall, Director.

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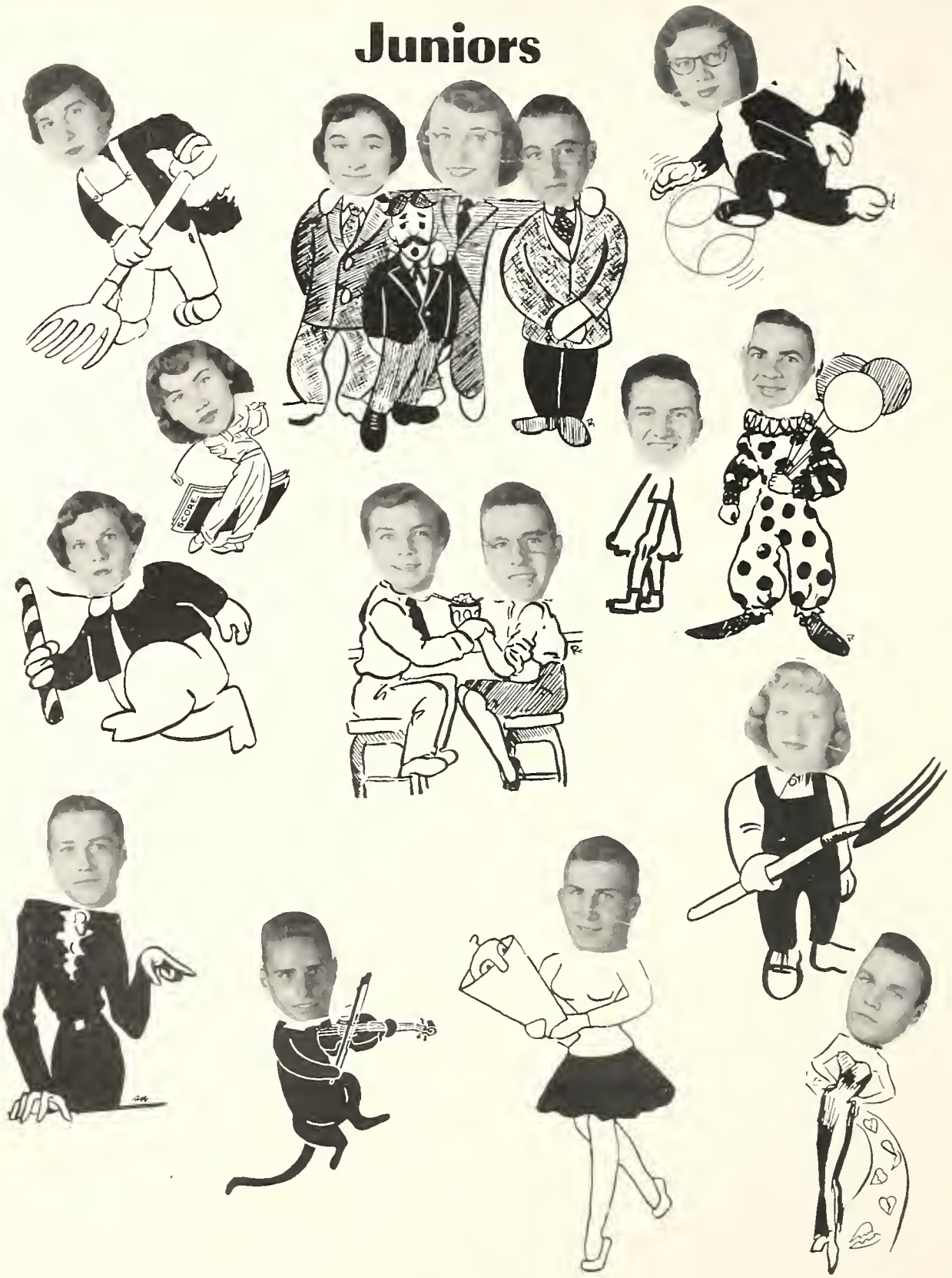
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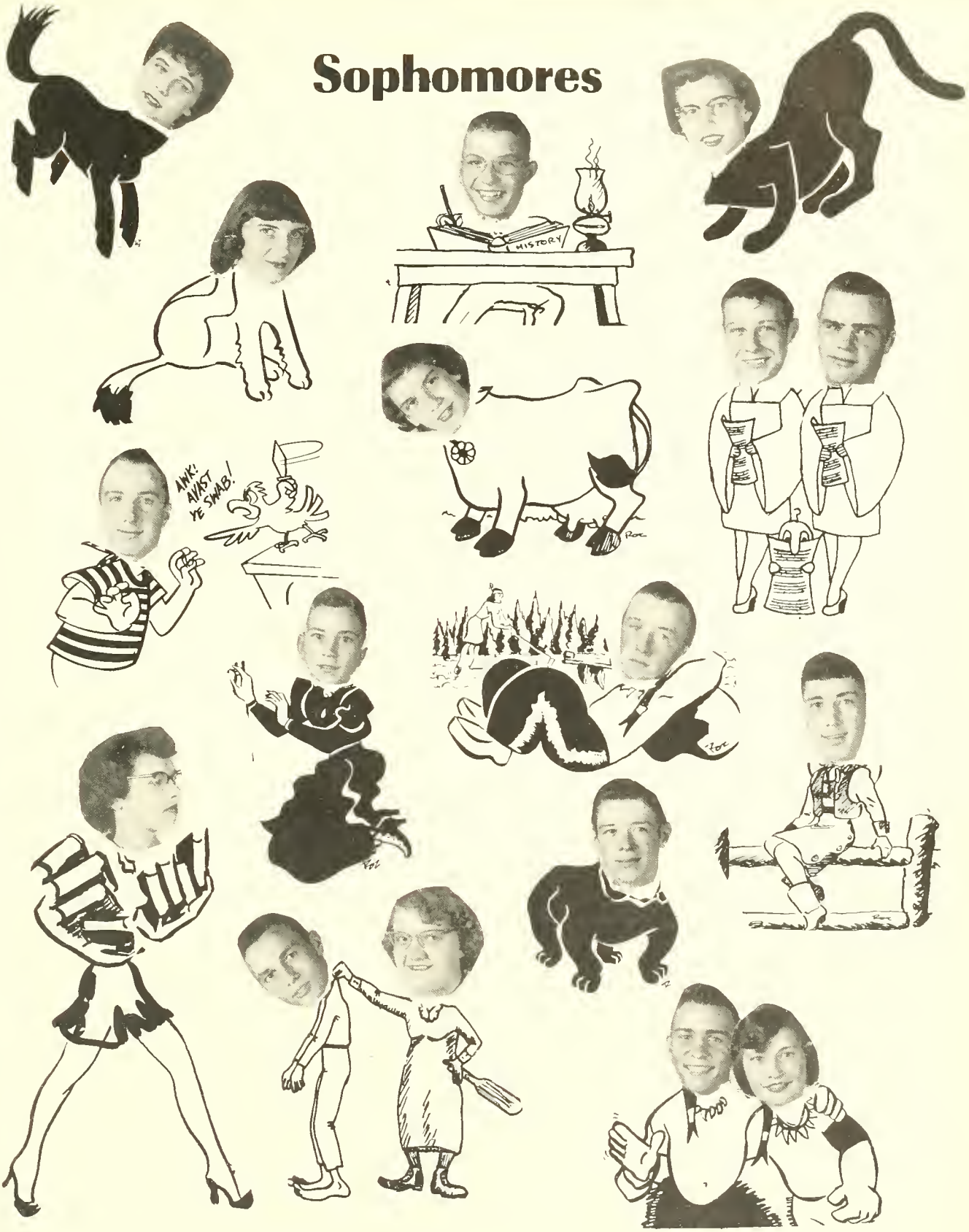
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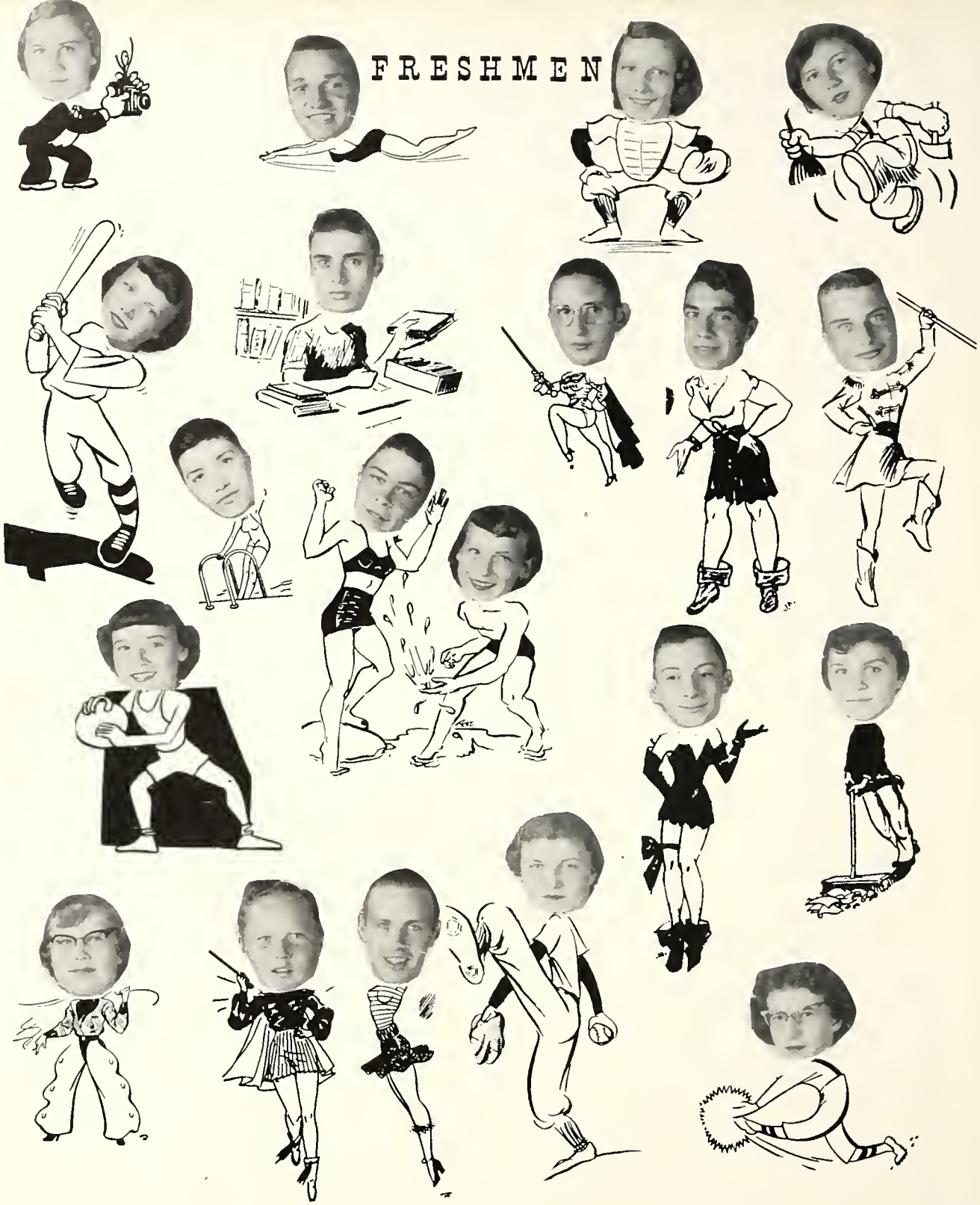
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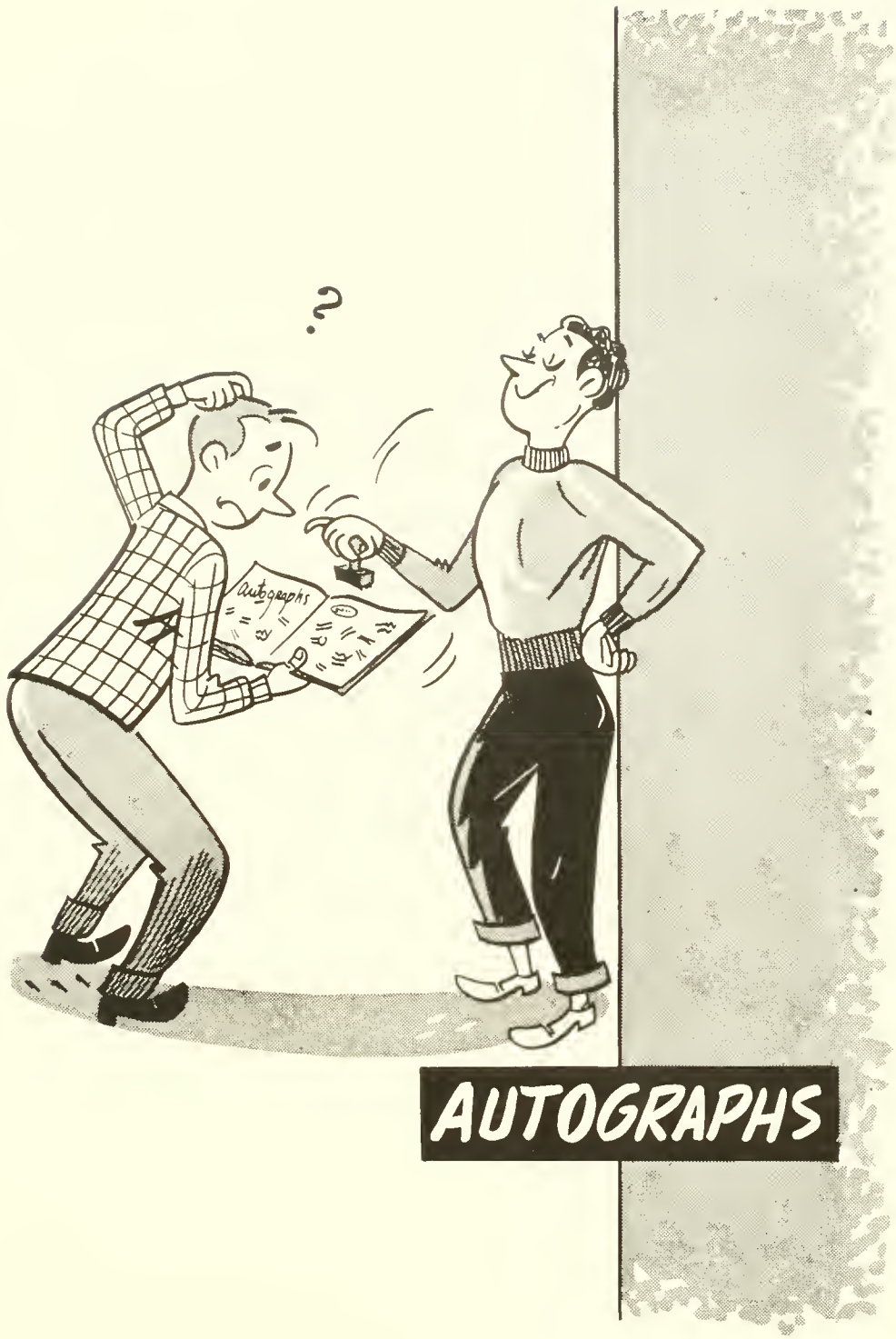
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